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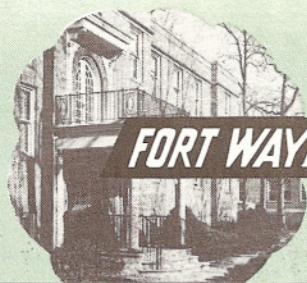


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Methodist Evangelist at Spiritual Emphasis Week

Rev. Gene M. Hamby of Florence, Alabama will be guest speaker for the second semester Spiritual Emphasis Week between Tuesday, Jan. 30 and Friday, Feb. 2. He will speak at both 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. services in Founders Chapel. Everyone is invited.

Mr. Hamby has been a general evangelist in the Methodist Church for 34 years. He has preached in over 60 countries and on all continents of the world except Australia.

It has been estimated that over 100,000 people have come to Christ through his ministry and over 20,000 have been taken into church membership.

Mr. Hamby says that some of his aims for the coming campaign at F.W.B.C. include:

Reaching the unsaved, reclaiming backsliders.

Every believer filled with the Holy Spirit.

Every student fully prepared for Christian service and for the second advent of our Lord.

Every student fully aware of and alert to his personal responsibility for souls both at home and in the foreign fields.

Every student fully settled regarding his life's call.

Every student who so desires will be given a personal interview with Mr. Hamby. He says, "I am looking forward with great anticipation and much prayer to the campaign there."

Those in communities surrounding Fort Wayne are urged to come and hear this dynamic speaker. The college will appreciate any announcements given by pastors in the area.

Living Endowment Calendars Out

The Living Endowment calendars were mailed in December. If you have enlisted in the Living Endowment program and have not received your calendar, would you please write immediately to Rev. Walter King, Assistant to the President, Fort Wayne Bible College, 800 West Rudisill Blvd., Fort Wayne, Indiana.



FWBC Keeps CHRISTmas

Capitalizing on community efforts to "Keep Christ in Christmas," Fort Wayne Bible College has presented the Gospel story in many ways besides the normal methods of sending out young people to churches through Christian service assignments.

Dr. Rene Frank's oratorio, "And God Came" was tape recorded for radio and television. It was presented almost in its entirety over WOWO on the regular broadcast of "Adventures in the Arts" at 9 p.m. Sunday, December 17. Then, WANE-TV presented the first half on television on Thursday, December 21, at 10:30 p.m. on its public service program, "Vista 62."

At the Christ Child Festival, December 1-3, a 26 foot long display was acclaimed by many as the best constructed. Made by Walter King, Harlan Wright with the assistance of Bob Eichar and Grant Hoatson, this Christmas scene accentuated the global ministry of the College. The Bible was dramatically spotlighted in the foreground, and the purpose of Christ's coming was spelled out clearly in the words, "He came to die."

In the days immediately preceeding Christmas the Crossroads Ensemble members were heard throughout the day over WOWO with a clear Christian testimony followed by a seldom-heard Christmas carol emphasizing the redemptive mission of Christ.

The college is happy to be a part of these efforts to make Christ known, and has tried to be found "redeeming the time, because the days are evil."

From the President's Pen

Rev. Jared F. Gerig



The Tomorrow of the New Year

We have once again come up against the tomorrow of another New Year. Our attitude toward a new year is seldom characterized by indifference. It is the time of weighing the future. It is the time of envisionment. While we "know not what a day may bring forth," we are human enough to take into accounting the possibilities for a whole new year.

A splendid text for the New Year could well be, "Sanctify yourselves: for tomorrow God will do wonders among you." What will 1962 bring to the Christian? The uncertainty of things in the world causes us to tread softly, and we refuse to rush in, but we can be confident that the tomorrow of 1962 will have in it some "wonders" for the children of God. In view of such possibilities, God's people ought to *sanctify themselves*. This is the preparation for any supernatural demonstration of grace. It means a purging from sin; it means obedience to divine leadership; it means a forward move by faith; it means assured victory over every foe.

With such preparation will come expectation. It is true that the tomorrows belong to the children of God. Faith always lays hold of the promises of God for the future, and expectancy, vision and hopefulness are the very compliment of it. "Sanctify yourselves, for tomorrow..." Let us thus prepare for the glorious tomorrow of the New Year ahead, a year when God will do wonders.

Preparation, expectation, realization, this is the divine order. Realization is described as "wonders among you." We sincerely pray that the year ahead will bring the wonder of soul-stirring revival in the body of Christ, and that world conditions may right themselves to the end that the Gospel can once more go forth unhindered. Then men shall believe on Christ out of every kindred, tongue, people, and tribe. Such wonders as these are due for emphatic fulfillment. What thrilling wonder, too, that 1962 may become the year of His glorious appearing. We are conscious that "the night is far spent; the day is at hand." As we face all the realities that the year may bring, let us do it in the spirit of one who wrote:

I see not a step before me
As I tread on another year,
But the past is still in God's keeping,
The future His mercy shall clear;
And what looks dark in the distance
Will brighten as I draw near.

The Bible College Family wishes you a bright and blessed New Year filled with the "wonders" of God's grace and goodness.

around campus

College and Staff Pledge
\$354.50 to U.F.

The college gave a \$200 gift to the United Fund of Allen County and the Faculty and Staff raised an additional \$154.50 to put the college 50 per cent over its goal in this year's drive.

Firm Donates \$4,500

The Indiana and Michigan Electric Company of Fort Wayne has pledged \$4,500 for South Campus Development. The pledge will be given over a three-year period.

Library Adds Books

A record number of new acquisitions have been added to the library since dedication on May 27. In just a little over four months 1,146 new books have been added bringing the total number of holdings to 15,900. This is twice the average yearly number of acquisitions of previous years.

An Instructional Materials Center has been established since dedication also, making pamphlets, pictures and other miscellaneous materials available for elementary education courses and for Christian service use. A music listening room has been outfitted with two turntables each able to accommodate six listeners using earphones.

The library is trying to build up holdings in elementary and general education, literature, science, arts, sociology and recreational reading materials.

Composition Recital Set

A recital of the compositions of Torrey Gray Barcanic of Chicago will be presented on Friday, March 9 at 8 p.m. in Founders. Barcanic will receive his Bachelor of Sacred Music degree in May. He has majored in theory and composition under Dr. Rene Frank.

Receiving his diploma in composition at Moody Bible Institute in 1960, Barcanic has composed all the works presented at this recital since coming to F.W.B.C.



Berne Choir to Perform

The Berne-French Township High School A Cappella Choir will present a concert at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon, January 28 in Founders Memorial Auditorium. This concert is open to the public without admission charge. An offering will be received to help defray expenses.

Dr. Freeman Burkhalter directs this outstanding 84-voice choir. Dr. Burkhalter has previously been on campus directing the Mennonite Men's Chorus.

Second Semester Opens

Registration for second semester classes begins Monday, Jan. 22, with classes beginning Wednesday morning. In addition to a great variety of daytime classes, the following evening courses will be offered on Monday at 7 p.m.:

The Gospel of John (NT 332) - 2 Hours
Dr. F. Simpson

Pastoral Seminar (PT 412) - 2 Hours
Mr. Ranes

School Crafts (Ed 412) - 2 Hours
Miss Schumacher

U. S. History (SS302) - 3 Hours
Mr. Gallagher

Survey of Broadcasting (Sp 243) - 3 Hours
Mr. Hoatson

Ministry of Music (Mu 384) - 2 Hours
Mr. I. Gerig

Hymnology (Mu 476) - 2 Hours
Mr. Elmer

The following evening courses will be offered on Thursday at 7 p.m.:

The Acts of the Apostles (NT 232) - 2 Hours
Mr. Klopfenstein

Hebrews (NT 434) - 2 Hours
Dr. E. Simpson

Acculturation and Applied Anthropology (An 338) - 2 Hours - Mr. Warner

Christian Education of Children (CE 342) 2 Hours - Dr. F. Simpson

Elementary School Science (Ed 478) - 2 Hours
Miss Schumacher

These courses are open to regular students or special students who wish to take only a course or two. The cost is \$16 per semester hour plus a registration fee of \$4.50 and a library fee of \$5 for those taking less than 8 hours. Registration for evening courses will be held at 6:30 p.m. just prior to the first meeting of the class on Thursday, Jan. 25, and Monday, Jan. 29. For more information contact the registrar, Fort Wayne Bible College, 800 West Rudisill Blvd., Fort Wayne, Indiana.

A.A.B.C. Workshop Planned

The Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges has selected F.W.B.C. as the host college for a regional workshop February 9-10. Bible institutes and colleges from Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan and Ohio will meet to consider the problems and issues that have emerged out of recent significant research on the Christian Education programs in Bible colleges.

The workshops are intended for all Bible college educators, and especially for academic deans and chairmen of the C.E. departments, curriculum committee members and Christian service directors. Dr. Herbert Byrne, Dean of Education, will be chairman of the workshop at F.W.B.C.



Philharmonic String Quartet

The Fort Wayne Philharmonic String Quartet will present a classical concert on Saturday, February 17 at 8 p.m. in Founders Memorial Auditorium. There will be no admission charge for this Guest Artist Series performance, but an offering will be received to help defray expenses.

First organized in 1945, the String Quartet is now directed by the famed concertmaster of the Philharmonic, Hugo Gottesmann, former concertmaster with the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra and member of the Busch String Quartet. The principal second violinist is Ernest Zala of Hungary who has played with the Philharmonic for many years. Argentina born Oscar Lysy has been with the Quartet for two seasons. Last season he played principal second, but this year is violist. A newcomer this season is cellist Douglas Marsh of Michigan, the only native born American in this internationally flavored String Quartet.

The Quartet will play two beautiful, melodious works; one recently re-discovered quartet by the Spanish genius Ariaga, a contemporary of Beethoven, who died at the age of 20. The other composition is by the contemporary American, Samuel Barber.

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rev. gerald gerig



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